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Restored Dorr House in historic Seville Square, Pensacola, Florida.

Moreno Cottage, built 1879 by Don Francisco Moreno, is one of the historic sites and sights that visitors can see on the new Seville Square walking tour in Pensacola, Florida.

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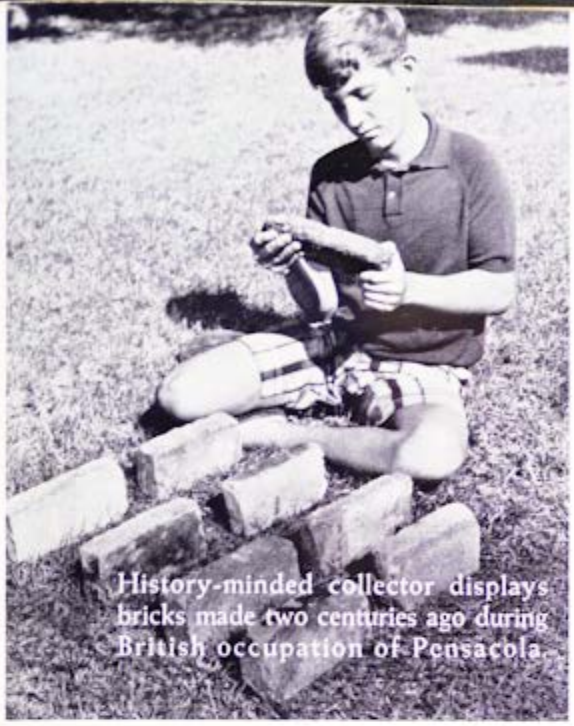
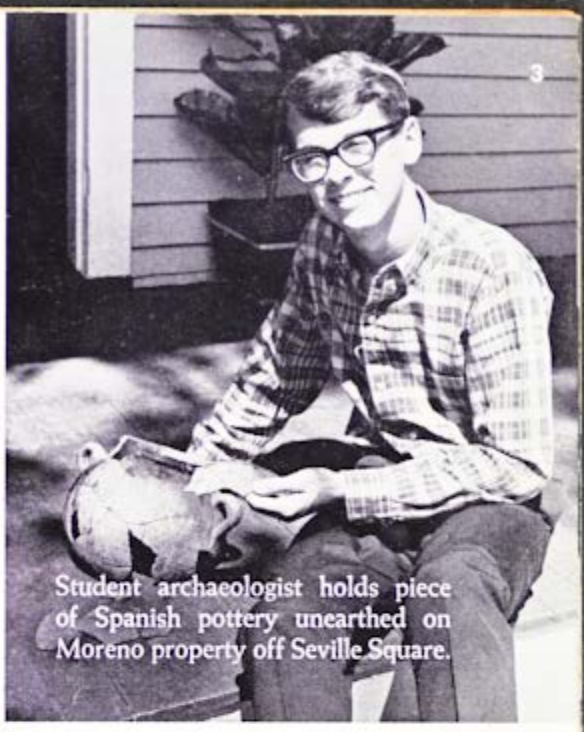
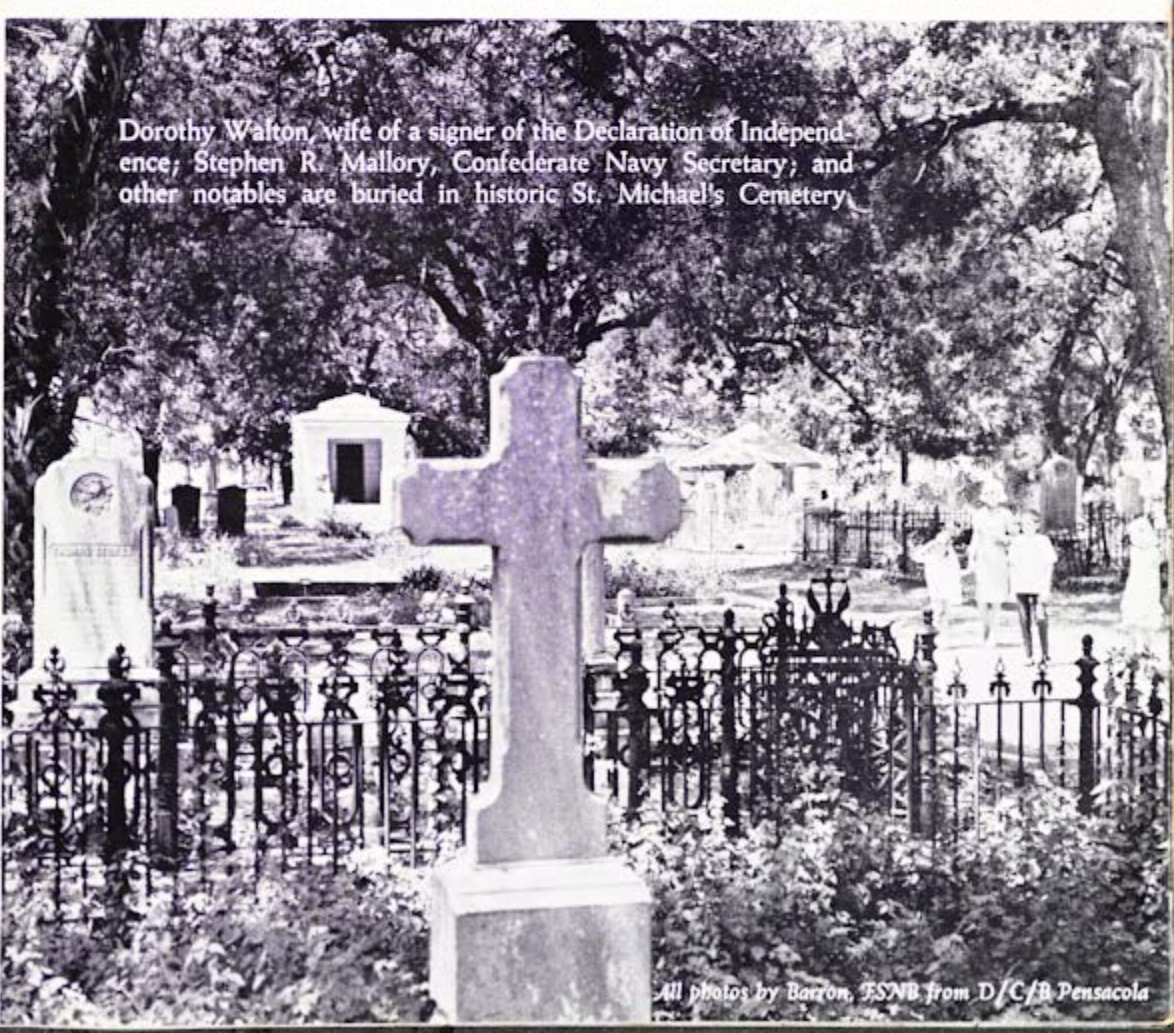


History-minded collector displays bricks made two centuries ago during British occupation of Pensacola.



Student archaeologist holds piece of Spanish pottery unearthed on Moreno property off Seville Square.



Dorothy Walton, wife of a signer of the Declaration of Independence; Stephen R. Mallory, Confederate Navy Secretary; and other notables are buried in historic St. Michael's Cemetery.

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SEVILLE SQUARE
CHRIST CHURCH
Erected in 1832, this is the oldest church building in Florida still standing on its original site. Tradition ascribes the design of this Episcopal Church to Sir Christopher Wren. Constructed of locally made brick, it was used by Federal forces during the Civil War as a barracks and hospital. The Parish moved in 1903. Deeded to Pensacola in 1936, it was used as a public library until 1957. Pensacola Historical Museum established here in August, 1960.

Christ Church—Florida's oldest church building still standing on its original site — is now home of the Pensacola Historical Museum.

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Miss Lelia Abercrombie, the museum's curator emeritus, holds Spanish map of Pensacola drawn in 1819.

Christ Church, built 1832, has beams hewn from heart pine and floors of Florida pecan. Design of the church is ascribed to Sir Christopher Wren.

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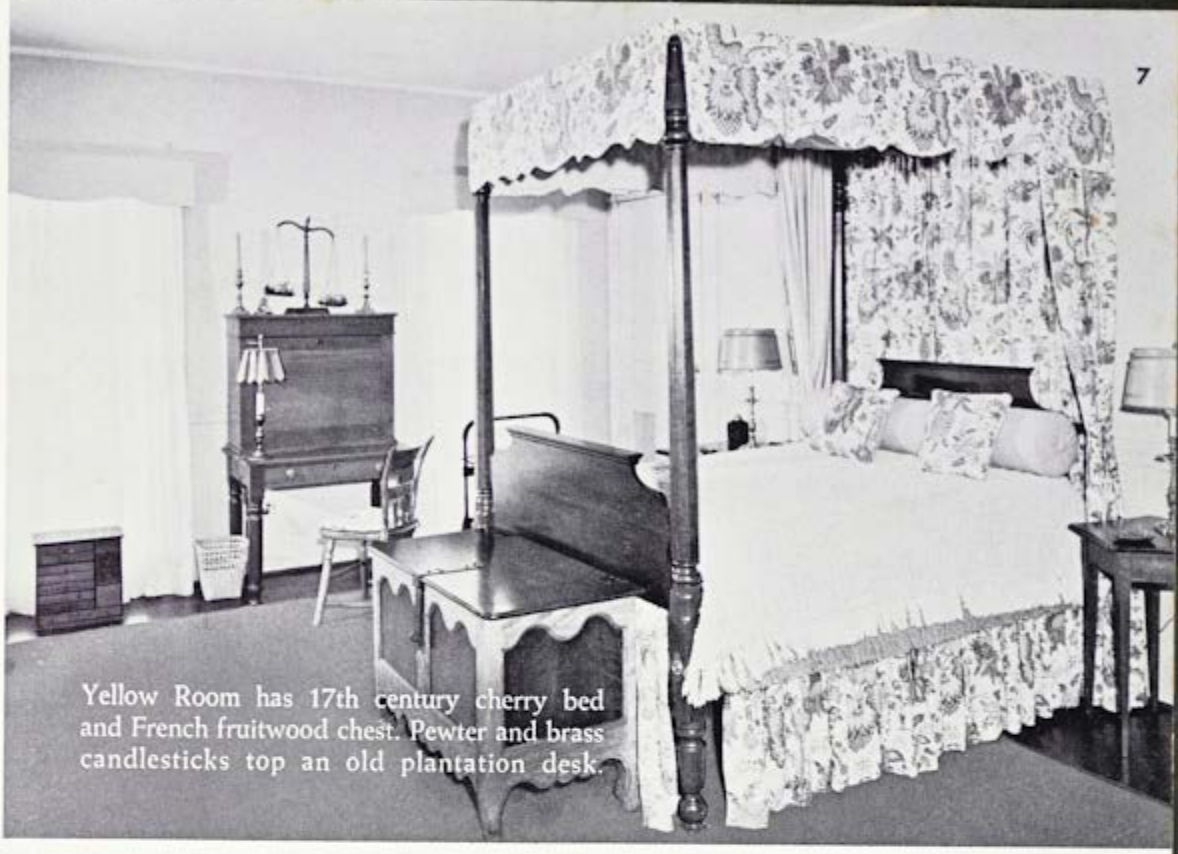
Eden—a white-columned mansion north of U. S. Highway 98 near Port Washington, Florida—is one of the Gulf Coast's handsomest houses. Tours—starting every hour on the hour—are conducted Fridays and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Eden is surrounded by centuries-old live oaks draped with Spanish moss.



Yellow Room has 17th century cherry bed and French fruitwood chest. Pewter and brass candlesticks top an old plantation desk.

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Dining room features Queen Anne chairs with original needlepoint panels, a Baccarat crystal chandelier, Italian altar candlesticks and 200-year-old Adam knife urns.

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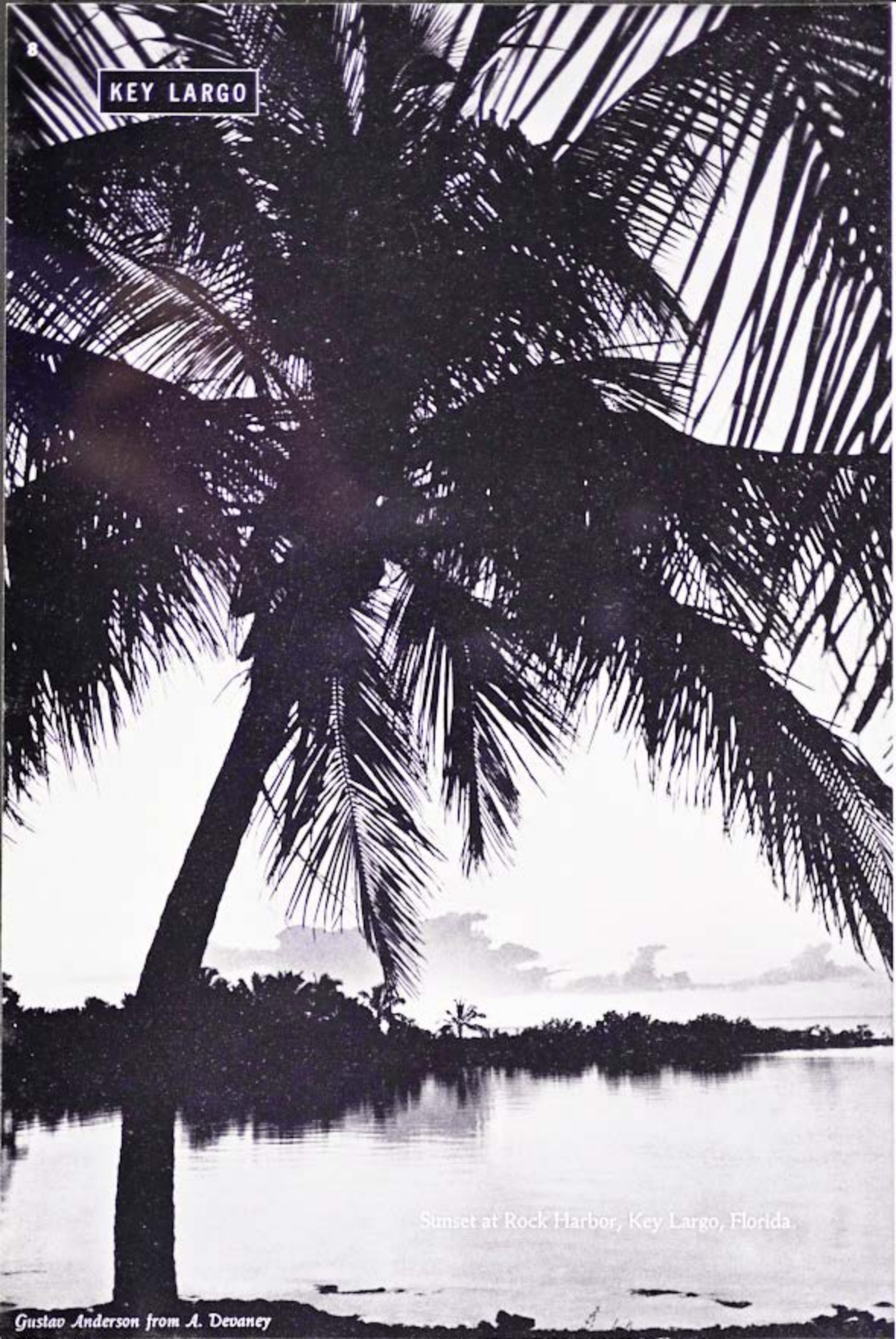

Sunset at Rock Harbor, Key Largo, Florida.

Gustav Anderson from A. Devaney

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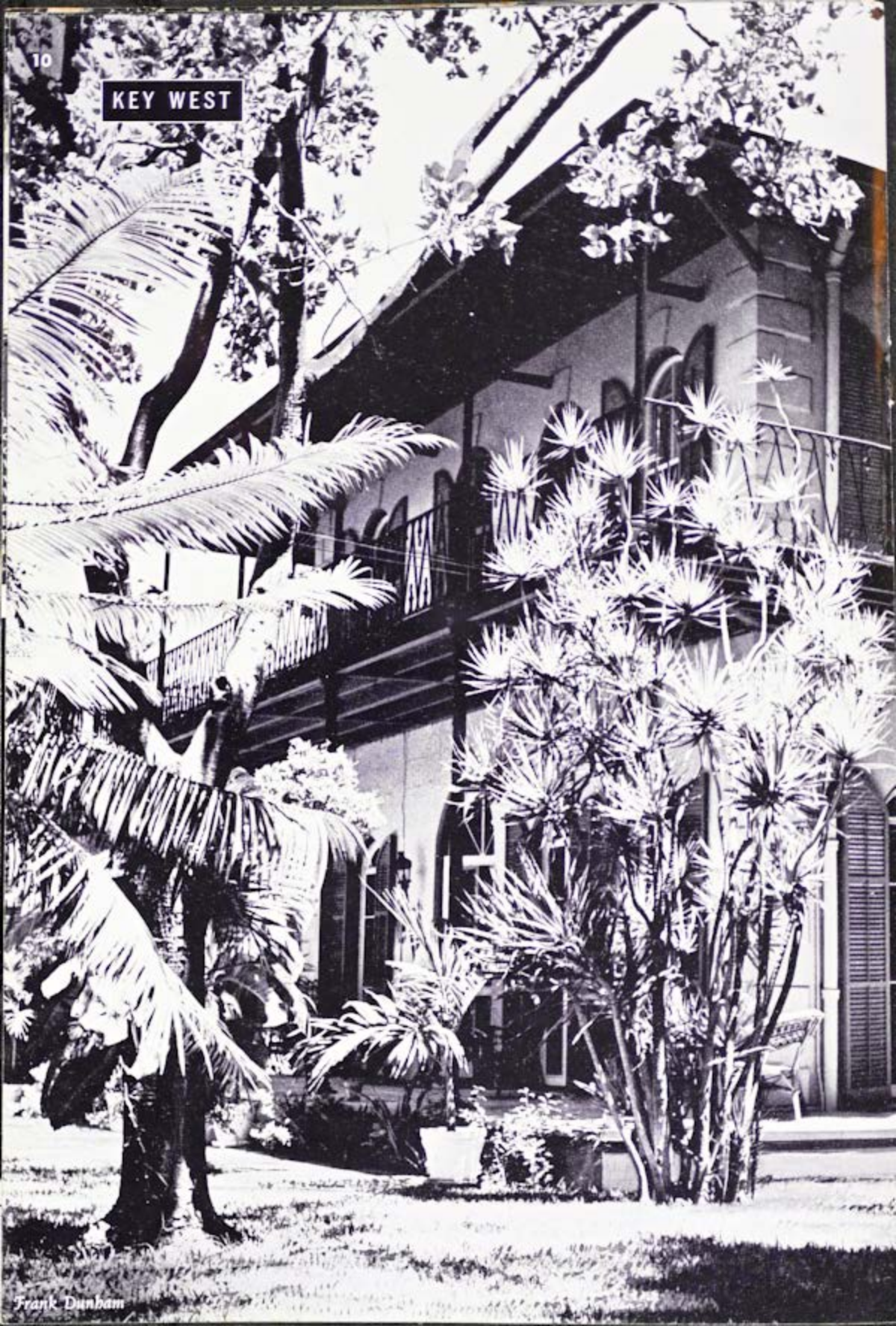


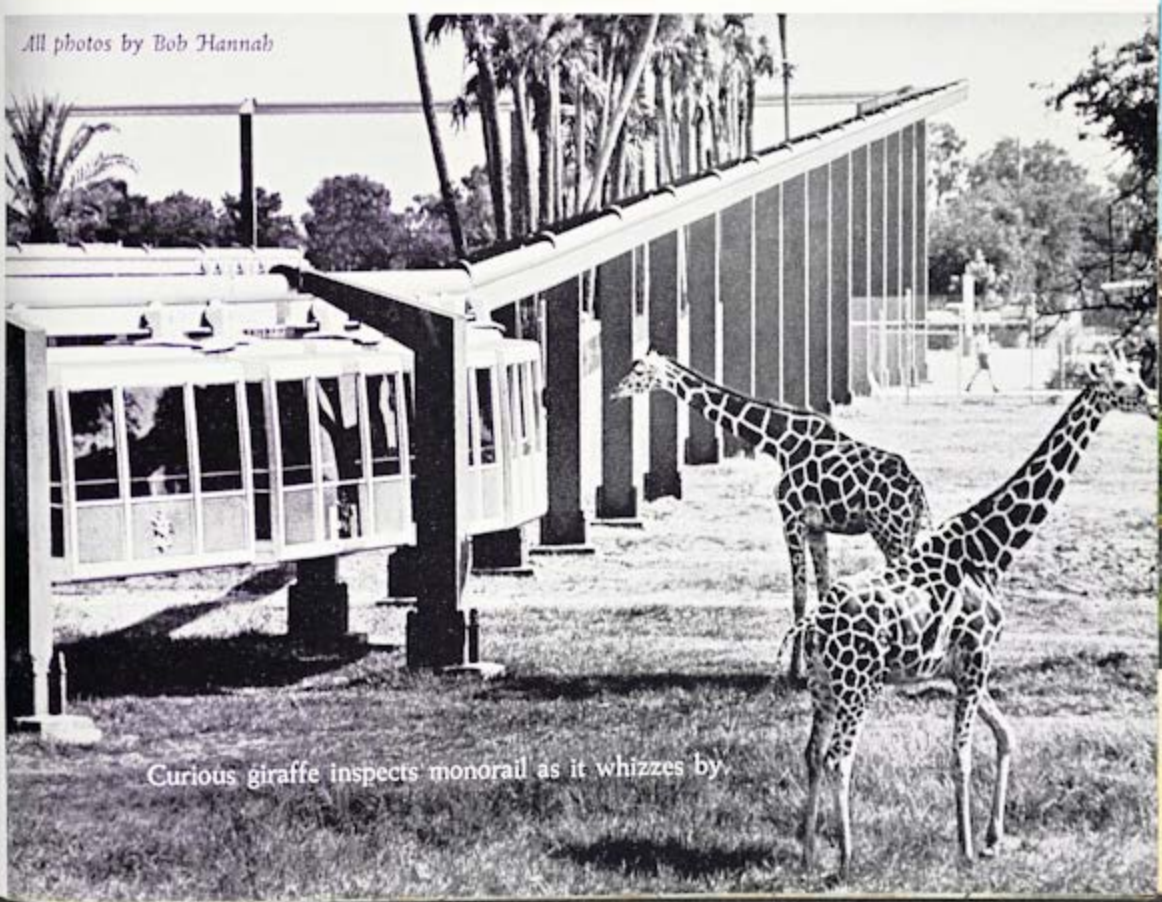
Frank Dunham

Ernest Hemingway Home and Museum, 907 Whitehead Street, in Key West, Florida, is open daily from 9 am to 5 pm. In this house, which he bought in 1931, Hemingway wrote *A Farewell to Arms*, *To Have and Have Not*, *For Whom the Bell Tolls*, *The Snows of Kilimanjaro*, *The Fifth Column*, *Death in the Afternoon* and *The Macomber Affair*.

Boardwalk leads into heart of Corkscrew Swamp, a National Audubon Society sanctuary near Immokalee, Florida, where birds and wildlife can be observed in a wilderness setting.

Monorail enables camera fans to get unusual photographs of elephants, lions and other African wild animals.

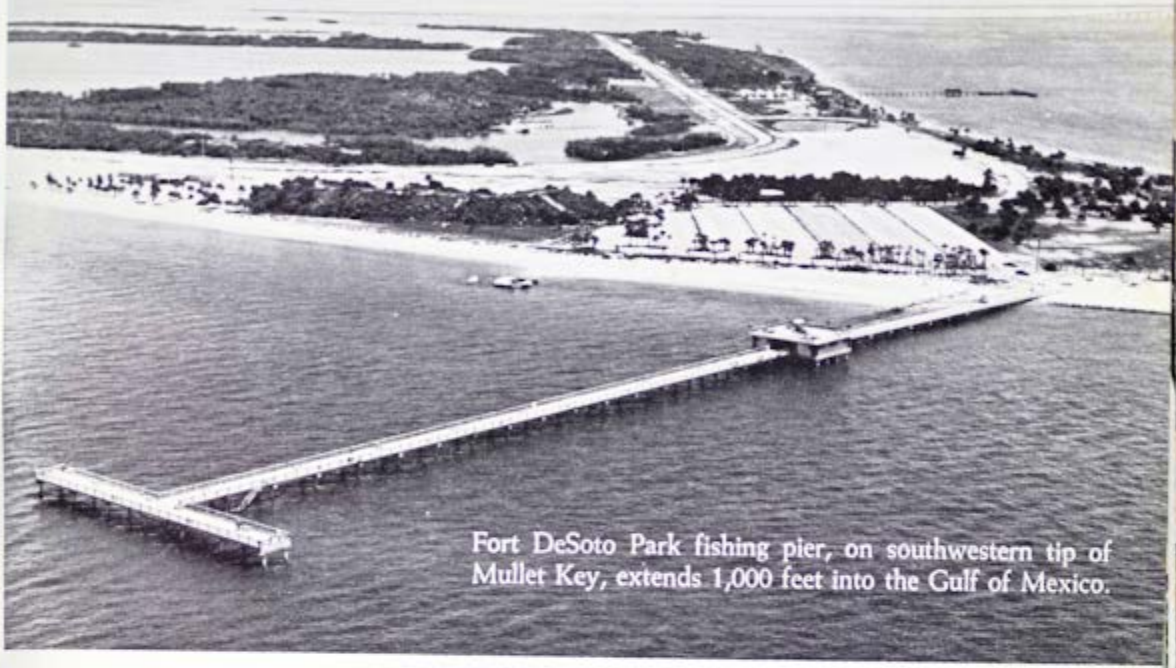
All photos by Bob Hannah



Curious giraffe inspects monorail as it whizzes by.

FORT DE SOTO PARK

Fort DeSoto Park — made up of five small islands just south of St. Petersburg, Florida — has three miles of beaches directly on the Gulf of Mexico. Park has excellent facilities for swimming, boating, fishing, camping and picnicking.



Fort DeSoto Park fishing pier, on southwestern tip of Mullet Key, extends 1,000 feet into the Gulf of Mexico.

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Near the fishing pier are the remains of old Fort DeSoto, built 1898 to guard the entrance to Tampa Bay.

Harold Steele

Scarlet ibis in Sunken Gardens, St. Petersburg, Florida.

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